

April Court 1723

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• Thomas Brewster appointed Conser to bear a load from Costars Dam to Drury, Somers Co^o —

John Ricketts appointed Conser to bear a load from the New Ferry over Wicomico River, on the North Side thereof to the Main Road by Thomas Humphreys Co^o —

Agreement about } Upon a Motion Proposed to the Court the Nineteenth day of March Anno Domini One Thousand Seven
Hansome Bridge hundred and twenty two for the rebuilding the Bridge over Hansome Creek Co^o —
The Justices think it Proper and Necessary that the Said Bridge be Rebuilt

Before they agree with any Person or Persons for Rebuiting a beginning of the same Co^o —

Therefore it is Ordered by the Court that Mr. Joseph Gray M^r. Samuel Hopkins and
M^r John Currie meet at Said Bridge and view the same, and then and there agree with some Persons
or Persons for the beginning or Rebuiting of the Said Bridge that will do it Proper and most Substantial
which Inspection is to be made on Thursday next ensuing the date above said and make their Report therof.

April Court 1723 — At which said Court held with the Thirtieth day of April Anno Domini One Thousand.

Seven hundred and twenty three ^{to ship} adjourned unto Court the Said Joseph Gray Samuel
Hopkins and John Currie and make return of the above said Order to the Court here Indent ^{to sign}.

By virtue of the within Order we the subscribers did meet at Drury appointed and did view
the Old Bridge and find it would not do, conclude to build anew one of the same dimensions as the Old
Bridge only the Posts to be Six Inchs longer well framed and bind, good Clinch of Three Inchs Brick
and after several Offers M^r John Addison did undertake the work and to be completed and finished
by June Court next and if were done according to Bargain when viewed by the Subscribers to be paid Six Thousand
pounds of tobacco Co^o — agreed of — J^r Joseph Gray Samuel Hopkins, John Currie —
For the — J^r Addison — ^{Approved of and} upon having of this agreement It's Ordered by the Court that the
same be recorded Co^o —

Henry Alexander } To the worshipful the Justices now in Court sitting the Estimation of Henry Alexander humblye Sheweth
Sot^t — that whereas your Estimator was Summoned as a witness to attend this Worshipfull Court but am at this
time so hurt and indisposse with a boyl that I cannot ride without suffering abundance of misery
wherefore depending upon your worshipps goodness and Pardon for Excuse your humble Estimator as in
duly bound shall ever pray —

The Estimator after being by the Court Considered and fully under-
stood Its Heresay Ordered by the Justices that the said Henry Alexander be discharged from duty
as by the Est^r aff^r is bind. and that the said John Evans another do in his stead —

John Kemp^r } John Kemp son of John Kemp dead is bound by Recd into John Evans junior until he
bound to arrives to the age of twenty one years he being fourteen years of age the fifteenth day of
October last past. the said John Kemp to Saw the said John Evans the full term of time
aff^r in Consideration of which he will & the said John Evans is to give the said John Kemp to
(Recd)